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Request for Grant Application Amendment #2

Request for Grant Application No.: FTF-STATE-14-0440-00
Request for Grant Application Title: First Things First Scholarships
RFGA Release Date: February 1, 2013
Issuing Agency: Arizona Early Childhood Development and Health Board, First Things First
Due Date: March 15, 2013
Receipt/Opening Location: First Things First
4000 N Central Avenue, Suite 800, Phoenix, AZ 85012
Contact: grants@azftf.gov
Fax (602) 265-0009

A SIGNED COPY OF THIS AMENDMENT SHALL BE RECEIVED AT THE ABOVE AGENCY LOCATION (PREFERRABLY WITH THE SOLICITATION RESPONSE) PRIOR TO THE DUE DATE AND TIME. IT IS NECESSARY TO RETURN THIS FORM ONLY IF YOU ARE RESPONDING TO THE SOLICITATION. THIS SOLICITATION IS AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

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- f) Prepare a plan for monitoring the integrity of program implementation for coaching and incentives.

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Scholarships are most often used for full-time care although they can be used for part-time care if a child is attending 20 hours or less per week or when a part-time model meets the needs of the families.

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Scholarships are most often used for full-time care although they can be used for part-time care if a child is attending 28 hours or less per week or when a part-time model meets the needs of the families.

Exhibit F

Budget Summary

Overall Scholarship Budget Summary Available Award Amounts	\$54,267,426.00
Quality First Child Care Scholarships	\$43,427,441.00
Quality First Child Care Scholarship Administration	\$1,042,255.00
Pre-Kindergarten Scholarships	\$9,472,885.00
Pre-Kindergarten Scholarships Administration	\$324,845.00
TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDS	\$54,267,426.00

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Pre-Kindergarten Scholarships Administration	\$292,987.00
TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDS	\$54,213,883.00

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Gila River Indian Community Regional Partnership Council			
Number of Funded Scholarship Sites <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 centers / 0 homes 	Estimated Number of Scholarships <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approximately 65 + 8 funded from South Phoenix for a total of 73 	Special Considerations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Blackwater – \$100,000.00 equally distributed over 10 months for 20 children. Gila Crossing - \$100,000.00 equally distributed over 10 months for 20 children paid by Gila River Indian Community Regional Partnership Council. An additional \$50,000.00 equally distributed over 10 months for 10 children paid by South Phoenix Regional Partnership Council. Total monthly payment will be \$15,000 paid for 10 months. Early Education Center –\$151,441 equally distributed over 12 months for 25 children. 	Scholarship Funds \$343,204

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South Phoenix Regional Partnership Council			
Number of Funded Scholarship Sites <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 69 centers / 28 homes 	Estimated Number of Scholarships <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approximately 825 	Special Considerations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 190 of 825 scholarships are additional scholarships that have been funded to maintain the continuity of children already in scholarships as much as possible. \$50,000 of the total \$5,683,292 allocation is funding for Gila Crossing in the Gila River Indian Community Region (detailed out in that region's Special Considerations notes above). 	Scholarship Funds \$5,550,089
South Pima Regional Partnership Council			
Number of Funded Scholarship Sites <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 33 centers / 51 homes 	Estimated Number of Scholarships <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approximately 377 	Special Considerations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PYT funded scholarships? 	Scholarship Funds \$2,171,566

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Exhibit H

Pre-Kindergarten Scholarships Allotment by Region

Pre-Kindergarten Scholarship Program – Direct Scholarship Dollars		Total Available: \$9,472,885.00
Pre-Kindergarten Scholarship Program – Administration Dollars		Total Available: \$324,845.00
Central Maricopa Regional Partnership Council		
Estimated Number of Scholarships <ul style="list-style-type: none">Approximately 140	Scholarship Funds \$915,484	
Central Pima Regional Partnership Council		
Estimated Number of Scholarships <ul style="list-style-type: none">Approximately 107	Scholarship Funds \$696,422	
La Paz/Mohave Regional Partnership Council		
Estimated Number of Scholarships <ul style="list-style-type: none">Approximately 183	Scholarship Funds \$1,305,457	
Navajo Nation Regional Partnership Council		
Estimated Number of Scholarships <ul style="list-style-type: none">Approximately 66	Scholarship Funds \$431,586	
North Phoenix Regional Partnership Council		
Estimated Number of Scholarships <ul style="list-style-type: none">Approximately 20	Scholarship Funds \$130,783	
Northeast Maricopa Regional Partnership Council		
Estimated Number of Scholarships <ul style="list-style-type: none">Approximately 72	Scholarship Funds \$467,552	
Northwest Maricopa Regional Partnership Council		
Estimated Number of Scholarships <ul style="list-style-type: none">Approximately 295	Scholarship Funds \$1,929,057	
South Phoenix Regional Partnership Council		
Estimated Number of Scholarships <ul style="list-style-type: none">Approximately 164	Scholarship Funds \$1,072,424	

South Pima Regional Partnership Council	
Estimated Number of Scholarships • Approximately 72	Scholarship Funds \$470,820
Southeast Maricopa Regional Partnership Council	
Estimated Number of Scholarships • Approximately 174	Scholarship Funds \$1,137,816
Yuma Regional Partnership Council	
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Pre-Kindergarten Scholarship Program – Administration Dollars	Total Available: \$292,987.00
Central Maricopa Regional Partnership Council	
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Central Pima Regional Partnership Council	
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La Paz/Mohave Regional Partnership Council	
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Navajo Nation Regional Partnership Council	
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North Phoenix Regional Partnership Council	
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Yuma Regional Partnership Council	
Estimated Number of Scholarships • Approximately 140	Scholarship Funds \$924,000

ALL OTHER PROVISIONS OF THE SOLICITATION SHALL REMAIN IN THEIR ENTIRETY.

**APPLICANT HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGES RECEIPT
AND UNDERSTANDING OF THE ABOVE
AMENDMENT.**

THE ABOVE REFERENCED SOLICITATION
AMENDMENT IS ISSUED THIS DATE
Wednesday, March 6, 2013

Signature

Date

Lindsay Kaide
Fiscal Specialist

Typed Name & Title